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(PTFE) PRODUCTS AND METHODS  
OF MANUFACTURE

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116**

Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action dated November 15, 2006, the due date for  
which is February 15, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2  
of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.